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0-3	Name of receiving Office and "PCT International Application"	
0-4	Form PCT/RO/101 PCT Request	
0-4-1	Prepared Using	PCT-SAFE [EASY mode] Version 3.50 (Build 0002.170)
0-5	Petition The undersigned requests that the present international application be processed according to the Patent Cooperation Treaty	
0-6	Receiving Office (specified by the applicant)	Japan Patent Office (RO/JP)
0-7	Applicant's or agent's file reference	PF17332-9972
I	Title of Invention	LIQUID TANK AND INK JET PRINTING APPARATUS
II	Applicant	
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IV-1	Agent or common representative; or address for correspondence The person identified below is hereby/ has been appointed to act on behalf of the applicant(s) before the competent International Authorities as:	agent
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V	DESIGNATIONS	
V-1	The filing of this request constitutes under Rule 4.9(a), the designation of all Contracting States bound by the PCT on the international filing date, for the grant of every kind of protection available and, where applicable, for the grant of both regional and national patents.	
VI-1	Priority claim of earlier national application	
VI-1-1	Filing date	30 April 2004 (30.04.2004)
VI-1-2	Number	2004-135851
VI-1-3	Country	JP
VI-2	Priority document request The receiving Office is requested to prepare and transmit to the International Bureau a certified copy of the earlier application(s) identified above as item(s):	VI-1
VII-1	International Searching Authority Chosen	Japan Patent Office (ISA/JP)

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VIII	Declarations	Number of declarations	
VIII-1	Declaration as to the identity of the inventor	-	
VIII-2	Declaration as to the applicant's entitlement, as at the international filing date, to apply for and be granted a patent	-	
VIII-3	Declaration as to the applicant's entitlement, as at the international filing date, to claim the priority of the earlier application	-	
VIII-4	Declaration of inventorship (only for the purposes of the designation of the United States of America)	-	
VIII-5	Declaration as to non-prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty	-	
IX	Check list	number of sheets	electronic file(s) attached
IX-1	Request (including declaration sheets)	4	✓
IX-2	Description	37	-
IX-3	Claims	5	-
IX-4	Abstract	1	✓
IX-5	Drawings	13	-
IX-7	TOTAL	60	
	Accompanying Items	paper document(s) attached	electronic file(s) attached
IX-8	Fee calculation sheet	✓	-
IX-9	Original separate power of attorney	✓	-
IX-17	PCT-SAFE physical media	-	✓
IX-18	other	Revenue Stamps	
IX-18	other	Certificate of Payment of International Filing Fee	
IX-19	Figure of the drawings which should accompany the abstract	Fig. 1A	
IX-20	Language of filing of the international application	English	
X-1	Signature of applicant, agent or common representative		
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X-1-2	Name of signatory		
X-1-3	Capacity		

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X-2-2	Name of signatory	
X-2-3	Capacity	

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10-1	Date of actual receipt of the purported international application	
10-2	Drawings:	
10-2-1	Received	
10-2-2	Not received	
10-3	Corrected date of actual receipt due to later but timely received papers or drawings completing the purported international application	
10-4	Date of timely receipt of the required corrections under PCT Article 11(2)	
10-5	International Searching Authority	ISA/JP
10-6	Transmittal of search copy delayed until search fee is paid	

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11-1	Date of receipt of the record copy by the International Bureau	
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0-4-1	PCT Fee Calculation Sheet	PCT-SAFE [EASY mode]	
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2	Applicant		CANON KABUSHIKI KAISHA
12	Calculation of prescribed fees	fee amount/multiplier	Total amounts (JPY)
12-1	Transmittal fee T	⇒	13000
12-2-1	Search fee S	⇒	97000
12-2-2	International search to be carried out by	JP	
12-3	International filing fee (first 30 sheets) I1	123200	
12-4	Remaining sheets	30	
12-5	Additional amount (X)	1300	
12-6	Total additional amount I2	39000	
12-7	I1 + I2 = I	162200	
12-12	EASY Filing reduction R	-8800	
12-13	Total International filing fee (I-R) I	⇒	153400
12-14	Fee for priority document		
	Number of priority documents requested	0	
12-15	Fee per document (X)	1400	
12-16	Total priority document fee: P	⇒	
12-17	TOTAL FEES PAYABLE (T+S+I+P)	⇒	263400
12-19	Mode of payment	Transmittal fee: revenue stamps Search fee: revenue stamps International filing fee : bank draft	